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Pete Sokolosky, Geologist Vernal District Office Bureau of Land Management 170 South 500 East Vernal, Utah 84078

Re: Environmental Assessment Ziegler Mine Plan for UTU 76312 Sec.15,,T9S-R24E Uintah Co., Utah

Dear Pete:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Environmental Assessment report on the above cited lease. This report should supplement the Mine Plan which has been previously handed to you. A copy has been sent to Tony Gallegos with the Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining and two copies have been mailed to the Utah State Office's Stan Perkes of the BIM.

We will appreciate your review of this report and any comments which you may have. Ziegler Chemical & Mineral Corporation will appreciate any help you can give in expiditing the approval of the MIne Plan and the Environmental Assessment. Please address your comments to me for cprrections, additions or suggestions.

We do appreciate the vaulable assistance you have given Ziegler in the past. Thak you for your courteous manner in helping us over some of the problems we have encountered..

Very truly yours,

ROBERT E. COVINGTON, CONSULTANT FOR ZIEGLER CHEMICAL & MINERAL CORP.

cc: Gordon S. Ziegler, Jr.
Norman R. Haslem
Tony Gallegos, Utah Div.Oil, Gas & Mining
Stan Perkes, Utah State Office, BLM
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